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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO PRIORITY  
INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK  
AMEMBASSY CANBERRA  
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TAGS: ASEAN, PEPR, US, JA

SUBJECT: US-ASEAN RELATIONS

REFS: A) TOKYO 6975 (NOTAL); B) STATE 47752  
C) STATE 93670

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1. PER REQUEST IN REF. A, THE USG HAS NOT RPT NOT  
ANNOUNCED PARTICIPATION OF THE PRESIDENT AND CABINET  
MEMBERS IN THE SECOND US-ASEAN MEETING IN WASHINGTON THIS  
SUMMER. US HAS SUGGESTED INFORMALLY AND PRIVATELY TO  
THE ASEAN AMBASSADORS THAT THE NEXT MEETING MIGHT BE HELD  
AT THE MINISTERIAL LEVEL, BUT LEFT DECISION TO ASEAN.  
SECRETARY VANCE HAS INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO LEAD US

DEL AND PRESIDENT HAS ALSO EXPRESSED INTEREST IN MEETING WITH ASEAN MINISTERS IF AND WHEN THEY COME TO WASHINGTON (REF. B). ASEAN HAS NOT YET RESPONDED OFFICIALLY ON LEVEL AND TIMING ALTHOUGH WE RECEIVED INFORMAL FAVORABLE REPLIES FROM SOME AND PHILIPPINE SECRETARY ROMULO WAS REPORTED TO HAVE MADE PUBLIC STATEMENT ON PRESIDENT'S AND SECRETARY'S PARTICIPATION. ASSISTANT SECRETARY HOLBROOKE MET WITH THE ASIAN PRESS CORPS IN WASHINGTON ON APRIL 10. HE DESCRIBED THE GENERAL STRUCTURE OF OUR RELATIONS WITH ASEAN AND A POSSIBLE ASEAN MEETING, BUT DID NOT MENTION POSSIBLE

TOP LEVEL US PARTICIPATION.

2. SECRETARY VANCE ALSO INFORMED AMBASSADOR TOGO ON APRIL 11 OF PLANS FOR US-ASEAN TALKS (REF. C).

VANCE

DISSIMINATION COORDINATED WITH SS/O PER O. CAMP.

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